13 February 1973

Major General Verne L. Bowers
The Adjutant General
Department of the Army
Washington, D. C. 20310

Dear Verne:

The attached is a letter from a Brazilian who fought in Italy in WW II. He asked for my help in getting him documentary proof that he had been awarded "Honorary Member of IV Corps". The Brazilian Division was indeed a part of Fourth Corps. I told him in my letter (also attached) that I had never heard of such a title and doubted that it existed but was forwarding his letter to the Adjutant General for appropriate action. I think I have prepared the ground for you to tell him that no such title exists. I do not know this man personally.

Best,

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Vernon A. Walters Lieutenant General, USA Deputy Director

2 Enclosures:

1. Ltr, 13 Jan 73, Alegre

2. Ltr, 13 Feb 73, Walters